

Please type a plus sign (+) inside this box →

+

PTO/SB/05 (03-01)

Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0032

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

**UTILITY
PATENT APPLICATION
TRANSMITTAL**

Attorney Docket No.

5328

First Inventor

KNIGGE, WAYNE I

Title

PACKAGE AND METHOD

Express Mail Label No.

ET283545370US

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

APPLICATION ELEMENTS

SEE MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

ADDRESS TO:

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Box Patent Application
Washington, DC 20231

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)

2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.

3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages: 28]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)

-Descriptive title of the invention
-Cross Reference to Related Applications
-Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
-Reference to sequence listing, a table,
or a computer program listing appendix
-Background of the Invention
-Brief Summary of the Invention
-Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
-Detailed Description
-Claim(s)
-Abstract of the Disclosure

4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Pages: 8]

5. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages: 4]

- a. ☒ Newly executed (original or copy)
b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)

- i. ☐ **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s)
Named in the prior application, see 37 CFR
1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)

6. ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

7. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or
Computer Program (Appendix)
8. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
(if applicable, all necessary)
9. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)
b. Specification Sequence Listing on:
i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
ii. ☐ paper
c. ☐ Statements verifying identity of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & documents(s))
10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney
(when there is an assignee)
11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. ☐ Information Disclosure ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449
13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
14. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
(Should be specifically itemized)
15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
(if foreign priority is claimed)
16. ☐ Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122
(b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35
or its equivalent.
17. ☐ Other: _____

18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.:

Prior application information: Examiner: _____

Group Art Unit: _____

For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

19. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS

☐ Customer Number or Bar Code Label

(insert Customer No. or Attach bar code label here)

or ☒ Correspondence address below

Name **GENERAL MILLS**

P O BOX 1113

Address

City **Minneapolis**

State

MN

Zip Code

55440

Country

USA

Telephone

763-764-2422

Fax

763-764-2268

Name **John A. O'Toole**

Registration No. (Attorney/Agent) **28,336**

Signature

John A. O'Toole

Date

8/31/01

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 2 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Box Patent Application, Washington, DC 20231.

Practitioner's Docket No. GMI 5328**PATENT****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Patent No.

Granted:

Inventor(s): Wayne I. Knigge, Karen E. McClure, Patrick J. Sumpmann;
William E. Archibald**Box: Patent Address Change****Assistant Commissioner for Patents****Washington, D.C. 20231****CHANGE OF CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS IN PATENT**

Please

1. Change the address of the attorney(s) of record to:

John A. O'Toole, General Mills, Inc.Number One General Mills Blvd., PO Box 1113Minneapolis, MN 55440

2. Change the correspondence address of the patent owner to:

It is certified that the person whose signature appears below has the authority to change the correspondence address for the patent.

Date:

31 August 2001

Signature

John A. O'ToolePO Box 1113

P.O. Address of Signatory

Minneapolis, MN 55440☐ Inventor(s)☐ Assignee of complete interest☒ Practitioner of record

Registration No.: 28,336

Tel. No.: (763) 764-2422

Reg. No.: 28,336

Customer No.:

(if applicable)

☐ Attached is a "Statement
under 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b)."(type or print name of person authorized to sign on behalf
of assignee)

Title of signatory

(Change of Correspondence Address in Patent [12-6])

RECEIVED SEP 11 2001